

Act, between the 7th day of January 1850, and the 5th day of April 1850, to the following purposes; viz.:

To be applied to the purchase of Stock .....	302,961	6	3
Add Interest receivable on account of Donations and Bequests, to be applied to the purchase of Stock .....	3,787	3	7
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	£306,748	9	10

National Debt Office, January 7, 1850.

S. Higham, Comptroller-General.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to John Ericsson, formerly of Brook-street, New-road, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for "An invention of an Improved Propeller applicable to Steam Navigation."

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue and in pursuance of an Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament, held in the fifth and sixth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Law touching Letters Patent for Inventions," and of an Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament held in the seventh and eighth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending an Act, passed in the 4th year of the reign of His late Majesty, intituled 'An Act for the better administration of justice in His Majesty's Privy Council, and to extend its jurisdiction and powers,'" application will be made by petition to Her Majesty in Council, praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the term granted by letters patent for England and Wales, and the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, and also for all Her Majesty's Colonies and Plantations abroad, dated on or about the 13th day of July, in the 7th year of the reign of King William the Fourth (1836), for the sole using and vending of an improved propeller applicable to steam navigation, and which said letters patent have been assigned to and are now vested in Adolphe Eugene Count de Rosen.

And notice is hereby further given, that an application will be made to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, on the 11th day of February 1850; or, if the said Judicial Committee shall not sit on that day, at the next sitting of the said Judicial Committee, for a time to be fixed for the hearing of the matter contained in the said petition; and all persons desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of the said petition must, on or before the day aforesaid, enter a caveat at the Privy Council Office.—Dated the 4th day of January 1850.

Shovbridge and Bramley, Solicitors to the said John Ericsson and Count Adolphe Eugene de Rosen, and Agents for the said Petition, 3, Bedford-row, Holborn, London.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Boston, Grantham, Leicester, and Midland Counties' Junction Railway Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons claiming to be creditors of this Company are to come in and prove their debts before

John Edmund Dowdeswell, Esq. the Master of the High Court of Chancery charged with the winding up of the said Company, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane; and until they shall so come in, they will be precluded from commencing or prosecuting any proceeding for recovery of their debts.

John E. Blunt,  
Master in attendance during the  
Vacation.

#### SALE OF OLD STORES AT CHATHAM.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,  
December 27, 1849.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 24th January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale, in Her Majesty's Dock-yard at Chatham, several lots of

#### OLD STORES;

Consisting of old Rope (Cable-laid and Hawser-laid), Shakings, Canvas, Ocham, Tyers, Rakings, Bands, Files, &c. &c. &c.

all in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.

#### CONTRACTS FOR WHEAT AND PEAS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, January 1, 1850.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 10th instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford the undermentioned articles; viz.:

Wheat (Red), 1000 quarters; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards.

Wheat (White), 500 quarters; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards.

Peas, 500 quarters; half to be delivered in a fortnight, and the remainder in a fortnight afterwards.

Samples (not less than two quarts of each) must be produced by the parties tendering.

The conditions of the contracts may be seen at the said office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly authorized in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for" and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.